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For: APPARATUS FOR CORRECTING

INK DROPLETS PLACEMENT ERRORS FOR RECORDING

APPARATUS, RECORDING

APPARATUS HAVING APPARATUS FOR CORRECTING INK DROPLETS

PLACEMENT ERRORS, AND

METHOD FOR CORRECTING INK

DROPLETS PLACEMENT ERRORS

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 23, 2005, the period for response to which extends through March 23, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal.

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